

# City of Mt. Vernon, Iowa

<b>Meeting:</b>	<b>Mt. Vernon City Council Meeting</b>
<b>Place:</b>	<b>Mt. Vernon City Hall, 213 1<sup>st</sup> Street NW, Mt. Vernon, Iowa 52314</b>
<b>Date/Time:</b>	<b>February 2, 2026 – 6:30 PM</b>
<b>Web Page:</b>	<b><a href="http://www.cityofmtvernon-ia.gov">www.cityofmtvernon-ia.gov</a></b>
<b>Posted:</b>	<b>January 30, 2026</b>

<b>Mayor:</b>	Tom Wieseler	<b>City Administrator:</b>	Chris Nosbisch
<b>Mayor Pro-Tem:</b>	Scott Rose	<b>City Attorney:</b>	Holly Corkery
<b>Councilperson:</b>	Sherene Hansen Player	<b>Asst. City Administrator:</b>	Lori Boren
<b>Councilperson:</b>	Craig Engel	<b>Finance Dir/City Clerk:</b>	Marsha Dewell
<b>Councilperson:</b>	Mark Andresen	<b>Chief of Police:</b>	Jason Blinks
<b>Councilperson:</b>	Paul Tuerler		

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**A. Call to Order**

**B. Agenda Additions/Agenda Approval**

**C. Communications:**

1. Unscheduled

If you wish to address the City Council on subjects pertaining to today's meeting agenda, please wait until that item on the agenda is reached. If you wish to address the City Council on an item **not** on the agenda, please approach the microphone and give your name and address for the public record before discussing your item. Each individual will be granted no more than five (5) minutes.

**D. Consent Agenda**

**Note:** These are routine items and will be enacted by one motion without separate discussion unless a Council Member requests separate consideration.

1. Approval of City Council Minutes – January 19, 2026, Regular Council Meeting

**E. Public Hearing**

1. None

**F. Ordinance Approval/Amendment**

1. Ordinance #1-19-2026B: Amending Article Ten, Sign Regulations of the Municipal Code of Mt. Vernon, Iowa
  - i. Motion to approve second reading and proceed to the third reading (Council may suspend rules and proceed to the final reading after a vote of the second reading)

**G. Resolutions for Approval**

1. Resolution #2-2-2026A: Approving the City of Mount Vernon Affirmative Fair Housing Policy

**H. Mayoral Proclamation**

1. None

**I. Old Business**

1. None

**J. Motions for Approval**

1. Consideration of Claims List – Motion to Approve
2. Discussion and Consideration of Five Year IDOT-City Maintenance Agreement – Council Action as Needed
3. Discussion and Consideration of Moving the February 16, 2026, City Council meeting to Wednesday, February 18, 2026 – Council Action as Needed
4. Discussion and Consideration of Purchasing a Speaker System for the Chalk the Walk Event – Council Action as Needed
5. Discussion and Consideration of Setting a Public Hearing Date for to Identify Gravestones for Stabilization – Council Action as Needed
6. Discussion and Consideration of Pay Application #3 – Rachel Street Improvements – Council Action as Needed

**K. Reports to be Received/Filed**

1. None

**L. Discussion Items (No Action)**

1. None

**M. Reports of Mayor/Council/Administrator**

1. Mayor's Report
2. Council Reports
3. Committee Reports
4. City Administrator's Report

**N. Adjournment**

Pursuant to §21.4(2) of the Code of Iowa, the City has the right to amend this agenda up until 24 hours before the posted meeting time.

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